AUCTION BALES.

By K. T. Lucas, Auctioneer.

SUMMISSIONERS' SALZ OF VALUABLE BEAL ESTATE IN FAINFAX COUNTY, Va.—By virtue of a decree of the Grount Court of Fairfax County, in the suit of J. W. Bear va. Stephens, and Wilcox, et also, rendered in vacation, July 23, 1881, the andersigned commessioners' will, at 12 m., MONDAY, beptember 19th, 1831, County Court day, offer for sale at cubic auction, that VALUABLE TRACT OF LAND Iving near Centreville, Fairfax county, Va., within 22 miles of Washington and Alexandria, five miles of Washington and Alexandria, five miles of Waterenton Springs This tract has been owned by J. W. Dear, etq.; is improved by a handsome, commedious and capacitum DWELLING and extensive cut-building, Barns and Stables. It has a five Okchard and muen grass, a full view of the Blue Bidge Mountains, and is advantageously situated for schools, churches, postoffice, stores, mile and shops. The land bas received careful cultivation, is extremely fertile and contains 2954 ACRES, a plat of which may be seen By R. T. Luces, Auctioneer.

sale, and invite proposals at any time prior to date of public sale.

Terms: Onc-enth of the purchase money in hand, and the residue upon a credit of one, two and three years, with interest from day of sale, and a retention of title until said deferred payments are made; the land to be resold upon the failure of the purchaser to most any of said deferred payments, HERRY W. THOMAS, Commire.

CASSIUS CARTER. Cemm're.

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MONDAY, October 17, 1881, at the same time
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COMMISSIONER'S SALE OF A TEN
ACER LOT NEAR FALLS CHURCH,
FAIRFAX COUNTY, VA.—As Commissioner of the Circuit Court of Fairfex county, Va.
in the suit of Lizenby vs. Tanner et al., I will
ciler at public suction, on TUESDAY, September 27, Itsl., at eleven o'clock a. m., in front of
the Postelline at Falls Church, Fairfex county,
Va. a TEACT OF LAND, containing TER a, a TRACT OF LAND, containing TER ACRES, belonging to the Orms heirs, situated on a county road about three querters of a mile southwest of Falls Church, adjoining farms of John Brush and Tripp (better known as the Carter estate) It is leested on an eminence, is about one

quarter in wood, and its sell is good.

Terme. One third cash; the residue in two equal instalments at four and 8 months, with interest; bonds to be given for the deferred payments and lien reserved on property.

S. FERGUSON BEACH.

Commissioner.

AUMMISSIONER'S SALK-By virtue of a S. J decree rendered by the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, Va., in the chancery cause of R. G. Violett's adm'r. against James H. Bugan and others on the 6th day of September, 1831. I will offer for sale at public auction at the front deer of the Court House, on Fairfax street, in the city of Alexandria, at 12 o'clock in . on THURSDAY, the following property, viz:

1. A HOUSE and LOT OF GROUND on the south side of Queen street, between Henry and Fayate streets.

and Fayette streets.

2. The INTEXEST of James H. Dugan in the following real estate of which Anthony Dugan died solared and possessed, v. a: One brick store and four brick dwelling houses on the south side of King street, between Fayette and Payen sta.

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death of Margaret Bugan.)

Terms: One third of the purchase money in cash, and the residue in two equal payments at three and six months respectively from day of sale; the deforred payments to bear interest from day of sale; the purchaser to give bonds with approved security for the deferred payments and the title to be retained till payment

of the purchase money in full.

JAMES R. CATON, pacial Commissioner

By Green & Wise, Anctioneers. COMMISSIONERS' SALE OF VALUA cree of the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, rendered on the 18th day of July, 1881, in the chancery cause of J. H. Dovaugan and others against A. V. Robey and wife and others, the undersigned, commissioners therein named. with offer for sale by public suction, at the front door of the Court House of said city, on SAT-UNDAY, the 24th day of September, 1881, at 12 o'clock m., the following property, viz:

1. HOUSE and LOT on the ciat side of Washington street, beginning 1a0 feat north of Cameron street and running thence south on Wash-

ington street 19 feet 6 inches; thence cast paral-let to Cameron street 100 feet; thence north par-

atiel to Washington street 19 feet 6 inchez; thence with a straight line to the beginning.
2. HOUSE and LOT on the north side of King street, beginning on King street on the cast side of a 3 feet 10 in. altey, distant 44 8-12 feet from Washington street; thence on said alley north parallel to Washington street 63 feet 8 inches; thence east parallel to King street 9 feet 1 inch to the southwest corner of a brick out building; thence the same course continued along the south wall of said out building to the middle of thence the same course continued along the south wall of said out building to the middle of the partition wall thereof; thence through the middle of said partition wall north 5 feet 4 in. to the line of Christopher Reale's lot, the south side of a brick wall; thence with the south side of a brick wall; thence with the south side of a brick wall; thence with the south side of a brick wall; thence with the south side of a brick wall; thence with the south side of a brick wall; thence with the south side of a brick wall; thence with the south side of a brick wall; thence with the south side of a brick wall; thence with the south side of a brick wall; thence with the south side of a brick wall; thence with the south side of a brick wall; thence with the south side of the brick day of October, 1881, in the suit of described Real. of sair wall esst parallel to King street 3 feet 8 at 12 o'clock m., the following described REAL inches; thence south parallel to Washington st. ESTATE, to wit:

of Fairfax street, between Queen and Princess bounded and described in a deed from Eatler street, each fronting 15 feet 9 inches with a

depth of 164 feet.
Terms of Sale: Ten per cent of the purchase money in cash on the day of sale, and the residue in three equal instalments at 0,12 and 18 months, to be secured by the bonds of the purchaser or purchasers, with good personal security; the bonds to bear interest from the day of sale, and the title to be retained until the same are fully paid. Conveyancing at the cost of the purchaser, S. F. BEACH, sep2-wiw G. A. MUSHBACH, of Sale.

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TWOR SALE AT AUCTION, ON SEPTEM-BER 17, 1881, at 12m., in front of the Mar-ket. Alexandria, Virginia, TWO PRINTIMG

tensive cut-building. Earns and Stables. It has a the OkoHaki Dand much grees, a full view of the Bha Bidge Mountains, and is adventage of the shall are subjected to select cutivation, is extremely fertile and contains 3954 ACRES, a plat of which may be seen with the Commissioners. Any one desircus of a boundary for the Bhaking row resides, containing 173 acres and 30 poies, lying on the Virginia Midland Railboundary, and the subject of the Bhaking row resides on the place, will take pleasure in showing it to visitors. The undersigned are authorized to sell at private sale, and invite proposals at any time prior to any one province of the farm. Mr. Skinner, or the support of the farm. Mr. Skinner, or the support of the farm, will show the proposals at any time prior to any one whole decreased, against Burdelto Skinner, the undersigned, commissioners, will expose to sale at public auction, at Pairfax Court House, on MONDAY, the 17th day of October, 1881, the TRAGT OF LAND upon which Burdette Skinner now resides, containing 173 acres and 30 poies, lying on the Virginia Midland Railbourne, provements consist of a comfortable DW ELL-ING HOUSE on the north side of said K. K. The land is of good quality, and has an abundance of the burdet of the farm. Mr. Skinner, or the support of the farm. Mr. Skinner, or the support of the farm, will show the proposals at any time prior to the support of the farm. ner, residing upon the farm, will show the prop-erty to any one who is disposed to purchase. Terms of Sale: A sufficient sum to be paid in cash on the day of sale to pay the costs and expenses of sale; the residue in three qual pay-ments of one, two and three years, with interest from the day of sale; the title to be retained and the land liable to be resold upon default in eith er of the deferred payments. The commissioners

er of the deterred payments. The commissioners are also sutherized to sell the property at private sale. Sale between 12 and 1 c'cleck.

HENRY W. THOMAS.

THOMAS MOORE,

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Fairles county, sep17-ts

TRUSTRE'S SALE OF BRAL ESTATE.

By virtue of a deed of trust from Andrew Arnold and wife to the undersigned, dated the 23d day of December, 1874, and recorded in the Clerk's office of Fairfax county, Va., I shall, for the purpose of estrying out the provisions of said trust, offer for saie at public suction, before the Court House doer of said county, on SAT-URDAY, the 15th day of October, 1881, a valuable FARM of 9th acres of land, lying immediately upon the Telegraph and 9 miles from diately upon the Telegraph read, 9 miles from distely upon the Telegraph read, 3 miles from Alexandric and about a quarter of a mile from Long Branch, on the Alexandric and Fredericksburg E. R. This farm is well watered and has an ample cupply of timber. It has a comfortable and commodicus DWELLINGHOUSE, Stables, Corn Crib, &c., a tolerable Crehard of Peach, Pear and Apple Trees, and is well worthy the attention of any one wishing a good little barm.

good little tarm.
Terms of Sale: One third cash; the residue in one and two years, with interest from day of sale; deferred payments to be secured by deed of trust and good personal security upon the first

deferred payment. N. B. NEVITT, Trustee. Accetink, Fairfax co., Va., sep16-acts*

SALE OF VALUABLE LAND IN FAIROF FAX COUNTY.—Pursuant to decrees rendered at the June term 1880, and the November term 1880 of the Circuit Court of Fairfax County in the suit of himpson vs. Grigsby and others, the undersigned Commissioners of sale therein named, on MONDAY, October 17th (Courtday) at about 12 o'clock m., will sell at public auction before the door of the Courthouse of said county the FARM on which Judge R. H. Cockwille.

on the Little Eiver Turnpike. It is of a rich red soil, well adapted both to agriculture and mainder, amounting to an und vided eighth part grazing. The improvements, consist of a in said roat estate, possession resulting at the comfortable DWKLLING HOUSE and substantianl out-tuildings This is on the whole one of the most valuable and desirable farms in Fair-

fex county.

Terms of Sale. Enough each to pay the costs of suit and expenses of sale. the residue in three equal annual instalments, secured by the purhaser's notes, with good personal security. bearing interest from day of sale. Title to be retained till the last payment is made.

H. W. THOMAS,
THOMAS E. LOVE,
S. FERCU-ON BRACH,
FRANCIS L. SMITH, E. WALTON MOORE.

Commissioners of Sale. By R. T. Luces, Auctioneer.

Y VIRTUE of a deed of trust executed by George L. Seston, bearing date on the 14th day of March, 1870, and of record in the land records for the city of Alexandria, Ve., liber No. 1, page 67, the subscriber, as trustee in the said deed named, at the request of the beneficiary therein named, will expose for sale at public auction, on SATURDAY, the 15th day of October, 1881, at 12 m., in front of the Market House, on Egyal street, a TERRENENC and LOT OF GROUND in the said city of Alexan. dris, situated on the east side of Royal street, between Wolfe and Wilkes streets, in front on Royal etreet 20 feet and extending eastwardly in

depth 65 feet. Terms of Sale: Cash. sep14-2awis H. O. OLAUGHTON, Trustee,

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(Real Estate Agents and Auctioneers.)
BY VIRTUE OF A DECKER OF THE
Circuit Court of Alexandria county, Va.,

16 feet 5 inches to the beginning, with the right of way over said alley.

3. TWO HOUSES and LOTS on the west side of the Arlington Turnpike. Said tract of land is streets, each fronting 15 feet 9 inches with a and wife to Peter Davis, recorded in hier R No. p. 43 of the land records of Alexandria county,

to which reference is made, and contains now about ONE HUNDESD AND SEVEN ACRES mere or less.

Terms of Sale: Cash as to costs of suit and sale, and as to the sum of \$3.180.91 with interest thereon from Sapt. 17th, 188), and as to the residue of the nurchase money. If any, upon a credit of six the purchase money, if any, upon a credit of six twelve and eighten months, with interest from date of sale. The bonds of the purchaser with good security to be taken for the deferred pay-

ments, and the title to be retained until they are CHARLES E. STUART. OMMISSIONERS' SALE OF VALUA-BLE LAND NEAR MOUNT VERNON, IN FAIRFAX COUNTY-Under and by vir-tue of the decree of the Circuit Court of Fairfax county, pronounced at its June term, 1881, in the suit therein pending of McCauley and others against McWilliams and others, the undersigned, named in said decree, will, on WEDNES-DAY, the 28th day of September, 1881, in front

of the Postoffice in the city of Alexandria, Va., at 12 o'clock m., sell to the highest bidder, at public suction, that valuable tract of land known as "MOUNT ZEPHYR," containing 645.57-160 acres. This farm lies near Mount Vernon, is of a fine soil naturally, susceptible of easy improve-ment and may be conveniently divided into several farms, and will be offered, it desired, in convenient parcels.

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> vitality from waste unrepaired. Our brain systoms may point out to the patient that things are going wrong. He may not find himself able to work with his usual life and activity: he may have fits of droweinees, or transient attacks of giddiness, or pain, or heaviness, or loss of sleep itself. This latter would be a very serious symptom indeed, for in sleep not only are the muscular and nervous tissues restored and strengthened, but there is, for the time being, a cessation of waste itself; and if sleep be essential to the ordinary healthy man, it is much more so to him whose mental faculties have been over-tesked. Long hours and night work lead to less of sleep, and less of sleep may lead to in-sanity and death. Loss of memory, whether to him whose mental faculties have been oversanity and death. Loss of memory, whether transient or general, is a sure sign that the brain has lost its power of healthy action, and needs rest and nutrition to restore it. Irritation of 2240 ibs. T. J. MEHAFFEY & CO., billy of temper, and fits of melatoholy, both point in the same direction—to an exhausted nervous system. Now I may safely say that there are very mary thousands of brain workers in these islands who are suffering sadly, and it may be silently suffering, from the effects of excessive toil and mental over strain. To warp such that they are positively shortening their ives, and that they cannot have even the faintest hope of reaching anything like an old age, is only to perform part of my duty as a medical adviser. I should try to point out some remody for the evil. To bid them cease to work would, in a great many cases, be equivalon to telling them to cause to live. They must work, or they cannot eat. Well, but there is one thing that all one do, they can review, remodel and regulate their mode and system of living .- Cassells' Magazine,

flattering or palpitation, or intermittent pulse,

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